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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for Letters Patent:

Applicant : HERIBERT SCHWARZ ET AL.

Title : DEVICE FOR SUCKING UP PARTICLES TO BE COLLECTED
AND A FLOOR VACUUM CLEANER

5 sheets of drawings.

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